

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

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Brian G. Svoboda, Esquire Perkins Coie 607 Fourteenth Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20005

RE: MUR 5576

New Democrat Network

Dear Mr. Svoboda:

This is in response to your letter dated November 11, 2004, which we received on November 12, 2004, requesting an extension until December 3, 2004, to respond to the complaint filed in the above-noted matter. After considering the circumstances presented in your letter, the Office of General Counsel has granted the requested extension. Accordingly, your response is due by the close of business on December 3, 2004.

If you have any questions, please contact me on our toll-free telephone number, (800) 424-9530. Our local telephone number is (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Alva E. Smith, Paralegal Complaints Examination & Legal Administration